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Applicant: Mark S. Boddy et al.
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In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a one-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the Final Office Action mailed April 25, 2002, said period of response being extended from July 25, 2002 to August 25, 2002. Since August 25, 2002 falls on a Sunday, it is believed that the date carries over to the next business day, August 26, 2002.

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